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Dearest Bert!

Really, Bert, I can not at all understand why you do not get my mail. I've sent you \$1.00 worth of stamps.

Are you sure you've given me the correct address?

It certainly does seem funny. Have you received Minnie's wrist-watch yet? I've sent a tracer for the article's I've sent. And you haven't received yet.

This morning I received a letter
from Cousin Alice and she
said Lewis has been sick and
now he is better and was worrying
about you so she told me write
at once & let her know when & how
you were so I wrote & said you
were still at the Hospital. She
also wrote that Harold Doolittle
got pneumonia 2 weeks ago &
died Friday. Isn't it a shame?
Also do you remember that
Doudy yellow that used to order
music from you? Well he is

Kater Patersons Husband & he died
Friday of Lghoid pneumonia.
This Epidemic certainly is awful.
Jae Burrows was in yesterday &
he was at Camp Humphrey about
2 weeks ago and he said if he had
known you were there he would
have hunted you up. He wished
particularly to be remembered to you.
Mama is sending you a sweater
we made so look out for it.
Last night I went over to Lydia's
while Mama went to Doris's.

Just received your other
letter. Mamma is still
working for your release.
Well I'll write some more
later & shall enclose
some stamps.

Sincerely yours
John